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thin shawl; notwithstanding the beseech-

ing glance of the prettiest pair of hazel

eyes that ever looked up to a cloud in

that way.

When Millie came to a large, white

farm house, she very gladly, and rather

hastily—for just then there was a heavy

peal of thunder—opened the gate, and

entered without ceremony. There was

no one there, but she heard a childish

voice in the next room, and again knock-

ed. A dark-eyed girl of ten or eleven

years opened the door. Millie explained

why she was there. With the ease and

good manners of one much older, the

child made her welcome.

I was just beginning to get dinner;

that was the reason I didn't hear you

knock. It will be ready by the time Ben

comes; but that will not be for an hour.

I can't get a very good dinner; but Ben

says I do nicely. I like to have every-

thing ready for him when he comes in

tired and hungry. I can't make biscuit,

—I wish I could—for Ben likes them ever

so much; but Martha, who comes in to

make bread for us, says she will teach me,

Millie said—

Now I have got nicely warmed and

dry, so I will help you get dinner. If

you will I will make some biscuit, and

we will have dinner ready in a very short

time.

Hearty was delighted. Ben would be

so glad. Might she look on and learn

how?

Millie was young and frank, and gay;

and she and the children soon became

very well acquainted over the biscuit.

The dinner seemed very meagre to little

Hearty. The poor child said, apologetically—

When father and mother were alive,

we used to have a good many things for

dinner, and Martha, our hired girl, used

to get them all; but when they died, and

'Squire Johns said he bought a mortgage

on our farm, and that we had got to pay

every cent the day it was due, or lose

everything, we had to do without a good

many things; and we are very poor now,

and Ben is afraid we can't have enough

to pay it, and they all say we may look

for no mercy from 'Squire Johns, for he

is very hard to the poor, and he has al-

ways wanted our farm, because it joins

some of his own land where he wants to

build.

Millie had listened to this with a curi-

ous mixture of feeling, for 'Squire Johns

was a declared lover of hers; and though

she had not yet accepted him, she had

been pleased with his attentions, and had

certainly given him encouragement.—

Moreover, he was to receive her final

answer in three days from that time, and

she was not sure the answer reserved and

laid away for that time was no. She

certainly liked 'Squire Johns as well, if

not better, than any one, and his love

must certainly be disinterested, for he

could not know that Millie Warner was

an heiress in a small way. She was sole

heir of a small, unnumbered farm from

her father, and five hundred in bank

stock. But the farm was two hundred

miles south of this town, where she was

visiting a cousin, and nobody knew of it;

and during her visit she had helped her

cousin in her work, as she had always

helped her mother when she was at home

—capable, industrious little girl that she

was.

She could judge better about the truth

of the story when she had seen Ben.—

Who was Ben? Two or three inquiries

had amounted to nothing. The children

spoke just as if everybody must know

who Ben was. Was he an uncle, cousin,

hired man or what?

Young Ben Hazell, out in the field,

pitched up the last hay on the load, heaved

his pitchfork against a tree, and took

off his straw hat to cool his moist

forehead.

The hay is all gone in, he said, with a

long breath of relief. I could not afford

to lose one load now; I don't know that

I can do it, but if I can sell part of the

load, I may. It will be hard though.

The young man followed the cart into

the barn. The storm was at its height

when he went towards the house from

the back way. He stopped in surprise,

as he saw through the window some one

was standing at the table, with arms bare

to the elbow, mixing flour. It must be

Martha. No; those fair white arms are

not Martha's, neither here the slender,

graceful figure.

By and by there was a spattering